

## Case No. 5:20-CV-00634-M

Defendant.

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explanation constitutes both good cause to extend the deadline to correct deficiencies and excusable neglect in failing to timely comply with the court order. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 6(b)(1). However, the court notes that Plaintiff has failed to properly address her summonses to the U.S. Attorney General and the U.S. Attorney Civil Process Clerk as directed in the order. See DE 4, 11. The court directs the Clerk of the Court to provide Plaintiff with additional summons forms to allow her to submit corrected summonses.

In addition, the court has reviewed Plaintiff's application to proceed in this court without prepaying fees or costs and, in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a), finds Plaintiff meets the requirements for proceeding *in forma pauperis* ("IFP") in this case.

Based on the foregoing, the court will decline to adopt the recommendation of Magistrate Judge Swank [DE 5], GRANT the Plaintiff's application to proceed IFP [DE 1], and order the Plaintiff to file corrected proposed summonses on or before February 10, 2021.

SO ORDERED this 2<sup>d</sup> day of February, 2021.

  
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RICHARD E. MYERS II  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE